PAPERS IN CONNECTION WITH THE BUBONIC PLAGUE.

WEEKLY REPORT OF PLAGUE IN THE MYSORE STATE, EXCLUDING THE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION OF BANGALORE, FOR THE WEEK ENDING 28TH DECEMBER 1900.

I. During the week under report, the number of indigenous cases increased from 399 in the previous week to 419, and the number of places in which they occurred, by 12.

Bangalore City.

II. The number of indigenous cases in the City increased by 30, and the total mortality by 32. The figures for the corresponding week of last year were 35 attacks, 29 deaths and a total mortality of 68. The following statement shows the figures for the past four weeks :—

	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.	Total Mortality.	Total Mortality in corresponding period of last year.	Average Mortality in previous years.
For week ending 7th Dec. 1900 ..	130	105	142	74	37·5
For week ending 14th Dec. 1900 ..	103	92	135	65	37·5
For week ending 21st Dec. 1900 ...	100	78	119	51	37·5
For week ending 28th Dec. 1900 ..	130	102	151	68	37·5

III. The figures for the Health and Segregation Camps were as follows :—

	Remained.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Removed to Hospital.	Died.	Remaining.
Health Camps	309	37	67	...	1	278
Segregation Camps	74	131	102	5	...	98

IV. The Hospital figures were as follows :—

	Remained.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining.
For the week	78	48	10	26	90

V. The number of houses disinfected was 155 as against 142 in the previous week. Of these, 84 were plague-infected houses, 1 deserted and 2 suspected buildings, while the rest were premises situated in infected areas.

VI. The cost of earth and road works carried out in the Basavangudi and Malleswaram extensions was Rs. 763, as against Rs. 303, in the previous week, the total amount spent from the commencement being Rs. 1,61,924.

Mysore State, outside Bangalore.

VII. In the Bangalore district, the number of indigenous cases i[illegible]sed from 62 in previous week to 91 during the week under report, chiefly owing to t[illegible]ease of plagu[illegible]n the Bangalore taluk.

The taluk of Bangalore had the largest number of cases, *viz.*, 41 as against 16 in the previous week. Six villages, which had no cases in the previous week, reported in all 30 cases, while 4 other villages became newly infected, and reported 5 cases. Three of these villages are reported to have been evacuated. Five other villages, which reported 8 cases in the previous week, remained free.

The number of cases in the Anekal taluk remained almost the same as in the previous week. The town of Anekal reported 33 cases as against 29 in the previous week, and the village of Bahaddarapura reported 1 case as against 2. The village of Attibele, which was free in the previous week, reported 2 cases.

In the Hoskote taluk, the number of cases remained the same as in the previous week. The town of Hoskote reported 7 cases, and the villages of Koraloor and Chinnasandra, each 1 case.

The villages of Sondekoppa and Kaglipura, in the Nelamangala and Kankanhalli taluks, respectively, reported 2 cases each, as against 1 and 4 in the previous week.

VIII. The district of Kolar, excluding the Kolar Gold Fields, which remained free for the past 2 weeks, reported 8 cases, all of which occurred in the village of Lakkur, in the Malur taluk.

Kolar Gold Fields.

IX. In the Kolar Gold Fields, the number of cases remained the same as in the previous week, *viz.*, 24. The mines of Tank Block, Nundydroog Camp, Balaghat, Nine Reefs and Stevens Camp reported 1, 5, 2, 3 and 5 cases, as against 2, 4, 5, 3 and nil, respectively, in the previous week, and the village of Ooregaum, Kothur, Sonnakuppam had 3, 1 & 3 cases respectively, while the last two villages were free in the previous week. The village of Gollapalli which had 4 cases, in the previous week remained free. There was 1 case in the Ooregaum Plague Hospital.

X. The village of Angonahalli in the Tiptur taluk, Tumkur district, reported 1 case as against 4 in the previous week.

XI. In the Mysore district, the number of cases decreased from 131 in the previous week to 101 during the week under report.

The taluk of Mysore reported 18 cases as in the previous week. Two villages which had no cases in the previous week, reported 7 cases, and the newly infected village of Dakalehallikerehundi 7 cases. Chamundibetta, which had 9 cases in the previous week, remained free. The village of Kumbarkoppal, which had 7 cases in the previous week, reported 3 cases.

In the taluk of Seringapatam the number of cases decreased from 41 to 23; of these 4 cases occurred in each of the villages of Palhalli and Allapura, and the towns of Ganjam and Seringapatam, reported 8 and 4 cases as against 12 and 8 cases, respectively, in the previous week. The villages of Balagola and Siddapur reported 2 and 1 cases, respectively.

Eight cases occurred in the French Rocks sub-taluk, which had 16 cases in the previous week; of these, 5 cases occurred in the town of French Rocks, which had 10 in the previous week, and 2 in the village of Rampur. The village of Samboonahalli reported 1 case as against 2.

The taluk of T. Narsipur reported 13 cases as against 10 in the previous week. The villages of Gargeswari and Sosale which had 7 and 3 cases in the previous week, reported 6 and 2 cases, respectively, while 2 other villages, which were free in the previous week, reported 5 cases.

The towns of Chamrajnagar and Salagram, in the taluks of Chamrajnagar and Yedatore, respectively, reported 10 and 7 cases as against 12 and 17, respectively.

Six cases occurred in the Nanjangud taluk, which had 12 in the previous week; of these, 5 cases occurred in the town of Nanjangud as against 11 in the previous week, and 1 in Hullahalli.

The village of Hampapur, in the Heggaddevankote taluk, reported 1 case.

The villages of Dodbecchanahalli and Chikkakadanahalli, in the Hunsur taluk, reported 12 and 3 cases respectively.

The town of Gundlupet, which had 1 case in the previous week, remained free.

XII. The district of Hassan remained free as in the past week.

XIII. In the district of Shimoga, the number of cases increased from 17 to 31. The town of Shimoga reported 10 cases as against 7, and the newly infected villages of Abbalgeri, and Holalur, in the Shimoga taluk, reported 3 and 8 cases, respectively. The village of Udagani, in the Shikarpur taluk reported 9 cases as against 10.

Mysore City.

XIV. The number of cases in the Mysore City, decreased from 61 to 33, and the total mortality from 92 to [illegible] the figures for the corresponding period of last year, were 12 attacks, 6 deaths and a total mortality of 48. The following table gives the figures for the past four weeks :—

	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.	Total Mortality.	Total Mortality in corresponding period of last year.	Average Mortality in previous years.
For week ending 7th Dec. 1900 ..	99	60	92	67	29·0
For week ending 14th Dec. 1900 ..	62	47	82	63	26·2
For week ending 21st Dec. 1900 ..	61	48	92	61	29·4
For week ending 28th Dec. 1900 ..	33	31	64	48	31·4

XV. During the week under report, there were 554 arrivals at, and 230 departures from, the City, as against 743 and 355, respectively, in the previous week, the total population at the close of the week being 59,953 as against 59,680, showing a net increase of 273.

XVI. The following are the figures for the Plague Hospital and the Contact Camp :—

		Remained.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining.
Plague Hospital.	For the week ...	32	3	7	2	26
	Since commencement ...	...	871	330	515	26
				Removed to Hospital.		
Contact Camp.	For the week ...	11	2	10	.. ...	3
	Since commencement ...	...	1,480	1,410	64 3	3

XVII. The number of houses disinfected during the week was 51 as against 71 in the previous week, the total number of houses disinfected from the commencement being 7,597.

Statement showing Plague Cases and Deaths (imported as well as indigenous) in the Mysore State reported in daily returns to the Plague Commissioner from 12th August 1898 to week ending Friday the 28th December 1900.

Period.	Bangalore. City. Imported. Cases	Bangalore. City. Imported. Deaths	Bangalore. City. Indigenous. Cases	Bangalore. City. Indigenous. Deaths	Bangalore. Cantonment. Imported. Cases	Bangalore. Cantonment. Imported. Deaths	Bangalore. Cantonment. Indigenous. Cases	Bangalore. Cantonment. Indigenous. Deaths	Bangalore District. Imported. Cases	Bangalore District. Imported. Deaths	Bangalore District. Indigenous. Cases	Bangalore District. Indigenous. Deaths	Kolar District. Imported. Cases	Kolar District. Imported. Deaths	Kolar District. Indigenous. Cases	Kolar District. Indigenous. Deaths	Tumkur District. Imported. Cases	Tumkur District. Imported. Deaths	Tumkur District. Indigenous. Cases	Tumkur District. Indigenous. Deaths	Mysore City. Imported. Cases	Mysore City. Imported. Deaths	Mysore City. Indigenous. Cases	Mysore City. Indigenous. Deaths
Total since the first appearance of Plague, *i. e.*, from 12th August 1898, to the week ending Friday, the 30th June 1899.	38	28	3,308	2,637	49	27	3,988	3,301	238	190	4,747	4,277	175	138	1,986	1,567	116	89	872	656	14	12	2,653	2,159
From the 30th June 1899 to the week ending Friday, the 29th June 1900.	14	9	617	511	15	11	411	362	33	28	2,253	1,760	68	62	778	619	11	9	415	307	17	13	531	418
From the 29th June 1900 to the week ending Friday, the 14th December 1900.	33	23	1,863	1,439	50	18	1,822	1,420	51	40	1,015	720	24	23	179	137	7	7	94	77	4	3	6,522	4,879
Total ..	85	60	5,788	4,587	114	56	6,251	5,083	322	258	8,015	6,757	267	223	2,943	2,323	134	105	1,381	1,040	35	28	9,706	7,456
During the week ending Friday, the 21st December 1900.	3	...	100	78	...	...	204	171	5	4	62	59	2	1	24	20	...	...	4	2	1	1	61	48
During the week ending Friday, the 28th December 1900.	2	2	135	104	...	...	168	129	...	...	91	71	3	3	32	23	...	...	1	2	...	...	33	31
Grand Total ...	90	62	6,023	4,769	114	56	6,623	5,383	327	262	8,168	6,887	272	227	2,999	2,366	134	105	1,386	1,044	36	29	9,800	7,555

Period.	Mysore District. Imported. Cases	Mysore District. Imported. Deaths	Mysore District. Indigenous. Cases	Mysore District. Indigenous. Deaths	Hassan District. Imported. Cases	Hassan District. Imported. Deaths	Hassan District. Indigenous. Cases	Hassan District. Indigenous. Deaths	Shimoga District. Imported. Cases	Shimoga District. Imported. Deaths	Shimoga District. Indigenous. Cases	Shimoga District. Indigenous. Deaths	Kadur District. Imported. Cases	Kadur District. Imported. Deaths	Kadur District. Indigenous. Cases	Kadur District. Indigenous. Deaths	Chitaldrug District. Imported. Cases	Chitaldrug District. Imported. Deaths	Chitaldrug District. Indigenous. Cases	Chitaldrug District. Indigenous. Deaths	Total. Cases.	Total. Deaths.
Total since the first appearance of Plague, *i. e.*, from 12th August 1898 to the week ending Friday, the 30th June 1899.	49	39	608	463	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	...	..	7	4	...	...	18,856	15,593
From the 30th June 1899 to the week ending Friday, the 29th June 1900.	25	17	1,215	870	2	2	35	9	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	49	35	541	312	7,060	5,373
From the 29th June 1900 to the week ending Friday the 14th December 1900.	87	63	2,437	1,885	6	5	20	16	18	18	414	287	8	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	14,658	11,065
Total ...	161	119	4,260	3,218	10	8	55	44	18	18	414	287	14	10	...	...	57	39	541	312	40,574	32,031
During the week ending Friday, the 21st December 1900.	...	...	131	109	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	16	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	614	509
During the week ending Friday, the 28th December 1900.	1	1	101	64	...	..	...	...	2	...	31	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	595	453
Grand Total ..	162	120	4,492	3,391	10	8	255	44	23	...	462	326	14	10	...	...	57	39	541	312	41,783	32,993

† Revised figures.

Supplementary statement showing in detail the places in the Mofussil where Plague cases and deaths were reported in daily returns to the Plague Commissioner during the week ending Friday, the 28th December 1900.

Population in 1891.	PLACES.	During the week ending 28th Dec. 1900.		During the week ending 21st Dec. 1900.		Previously reported for period from 12th August 1898 to 14th Dec. 1900.		Total.	
		Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
	BANGALORE DISTRICT.								
	Bangalore Taluk.								
	Gangenahalli ...	..	...	2	1	19	14	21	15
	Beguru ..	1	1	1	1	62	58	64	60
	Baiyappanahalli ...	..	1	1	...	11	10	12	11
	Banasavadi ...	2	2	1	1	8	6	11	9
	Kodagehalli ..	4	2	..	..	15	12	19	14
	Chikka Toguru ...	...	..	3	3	..	..	3	3
	Seenagara ..	..	..	1	...	..	..	1	...
	Balagere ...	2	2	4	3	5	5	11	10
	Nagaiyanapalya ..	1	2	2	1	2	2	5	5
	Narayanapura ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1
	Chatrapalya ...	4	2	...	...	40	37	44	39
	Hulimavu ..	4	3	..	..	6	4	10	7
	Narasimhaiyanapalya ..	1	1	...	..	...	...	1	1
	Varthoor ..	9	6	...	..	70	69	79	75
	Mathigere ..	5	5	..	..	15	11	20	16
	Singasandra .	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
	Varamava Agara ...	2	2	..	..	..	...	2	2
	Sarakki ..	1	1	..	...	...	..	1	1
	Jaraganahalli ...	4	4	..	..	23	23	27	27
	Hoskote Taluk.								
	Hoskote ..	7	4	7	7	309	283	323	294
	Koraloor ...	1	2	2	1	4	1	7	4
	Chen[illegible]sandra ..	1	1	..	...	3	1	4	2
	Nelam[illegible] Taluk.								
	Sondekoppa ...	2	2	1	2	41	24	44	28
	Bola Maranahalli ..	..	...	..	1	3	1	3	2
	Kankanhalli Taluk.								
	Kaglipura ..	2	3	4	3	44	32	50	38
	Magadi Taluk.								
	Gundigere ..	...	..	4	3	...	...	4	3
	Channapatna Taluk.								
	Channapatna ..	..	..	1	1	714	710	715	711
	Anekal Taluk.								
	Anekal ..	33	24	29	32	770	651	832	707
	Karpur ..	...	...	1	2	6	5	7	7
	Bhaddarapura ..	1	..	2	...	..	...	3	..
	Athibele ...	3	..	...	...	17	11	20	11
	Other places..	..	...	...	...	6,150	5,045	6,150	5,045
	Total ..	91	71	67	63	8,337	7,015	8,495	7,149

Supplementary Statement of Plague in the Mofussil, &c.,—*contd.*

Population in 1891.	PLACES.	During the week ending 28th Dec. 1900.		During the week ending 21st Dec. 1900.		Previously reported for period from 12th August 1898 to 14th Dec. 1900.		Total.	
		Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
	KOLAR DISTRICT.								
	Bowringpet Taluk.								
	Bowringpet Town ...	*1	1	..	..	73	59	74	60
	Madivala ...	*1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
	Bathmangala ...	*1	1	..	..	2	2	3	3
	Gold Fields.								
	Tank Block ...	1	1	2	2	54	41	57	44
	Ooregum village ...	3	3	6	4	141	110	150	117
	Nandidroog Camp ...	5	3	4	5	58	44	67	52
	Balaghat ..	2	1	5	4	34	28	41	33
	Kothur ..	1	1	...	..	22	12	23	13
	Nine Reefs ..	3	2	3	..	16	8	22	10
	Stevens Camp ..	5	4	..	..	68	52	73	56
	Gollapalli ..	...	..	4	5	20	17	24	22
	Sonnakuppam ...	3	3	..	..	13	7	16	10
	Plague Hospital ...	1	...	..	...	10	5	11	5
	Other places...	..	..	...	..	889	687	889	687
	Total Bowringpet Taluk.	27	21	24	20	1,400	1,072	1,451	1,113
	Chikballapur Taluk.								
	Chikballapur town ..	..	..	2	1	390	364	392	365
	Malur Taluk.								
	Lakkur ...	8	5	..	...	7	6	15	11
	Other places...	..	..	...	...	1,413	1,104	1,413	1,104
	Total Kolar Dt. excluding Bowringpet taluk ...	8	5	2	1	1,810	1,474	1,820	1,480
	Total Kolar Dt. including Bowringpet taluk ..	35	26	26	21	3,210	2,546	3,271	2,593
	TUMKUR DISTRICT.								
	Tiptur Taluk.								
	Angonahalli ..	1	2	4	2	1	1	6	5
	Other places .	..	...	...	..	1,574	1,144	1,574	1,144
	Total ..	1	2	4	2	1,575	1,145	1,580	1,149

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Population in 1891.	PLACES.	During the week ending 28th Dec. 1900.		During the week ending 21st Dec. 1900.		Previously reported for period from 12th August 1898 to 14th Dec. 1900.		Total.	
		Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
	MYSORE DISTRICT.								
	Mysore Taluk.								
352	Kalisiddanhundi ..	...	1	1	...	32	22	33	23
529	Varuna ...	1	...	1	1	66	31	68	32
503	Chamundibetta ...	...	...	9	1	18	8	27	9
237	Kukkerhalli ...	...	...	...	1	2	1	2	2
	Kumbárkoppal ...	3	1	7	4	17	13	27	18
	Melalli ..	1	1	...	...	12	12	13	13
	Nachanahalli ..	6	2	...	...	4	3	10	4
154	Dakalehallikerehundi ..	7	4	...	...	..	..	7	4
	Seringapatam Taluk.								
	Seringapatam ..	4	2	8	8	604	476	616	486
1,752	Balagola ..	2	3	1	1	149	103	152	107
5,403	Ganjam ..	8	7	12	11	396	358	416	376
	Hampapur ..	...	...	1	1	10	9	11	10
	Palhalli ..	4	1	5	1	10	5	19	7
	Siddapur ..	1	...	14	12	..	..	15	12
	Allapura ...	4	3	...	..	..	...	4	3
	French Rocks Sub-Taluk.								
2,470	French Rocks Town ..	5	2	10	6	144	128	159	136
	Kennal ..	..	..	2	2	25	25	27	27
	Samboonahalli	1	1	2	1	4	..	7	2
	Rampur ..	2	..	2	1	6	3	10	4
	Nanjangud Taluk.								
6,421	Nanjangud ...	5	5	11	8	254	185	270	198
	Hullahalli ..	1	..	...	1	39	28	40	29
	Padanavaloo ...	...	..	1	...	8	7	9	7
	T. Narsipur Taluk.								
	T. Narsipur ..	...	..	..	1	93	76	93	77
	Sosalé ...	2	2	3	3	81	67	86	72
	Gargeswari ..	6	7	7	9	58	44	71	60
	Algodu ...	2	2	...	..	4	2	7	4
	Kendanakoppal		1	..	...	2	1	4	2

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Population in 1891.	PLACES.	During the week ending 28th Dec. 1900.		During the week ending 21st Dec. 1900.		Previously reported for period from 12th August 1898 to 14th Dec. 1900.		Total.	
		Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
	MYSORE DISTRICT.								
	Yedatore Taluk.								
	Salagram ...	7	4	17	16	97	70	121	90
	Chamrajnagar Taluk.								
5,507	Chamrajnagar ..	10	9	12	12	103	101	125	122
	Heggaddevankote Taluk.								
	Hampapur ...	1	1	...	..	..	...	1	1
	Hommerahalli ..	*1	1	...	..	..	...	1	1
	Hunsur Taluk.								
	Dodbeechanhalli ..	12	4	4	7	..	..	16	11
	Chikkakadanahalli ...	3	1	...	..	..	..	3	1
	Gundlupet Taluk.								
	Gundlupet ..	...	..	1	1	1	1	2	2
	Other places ...	..	..	..	...	2,182	1,558	2,182	1,558
	Total..	102	65	131	109	4,421	3,317	4,654	3,511
	HASSAN DISTRICT ...	...	...	...	..	65	53	65	53
	SHIMOGA DISTRICT.								
	Shimoga Town ..	10	5	7	7	327	230	344	242
	Mandli ..	3	3	..	..	9	9	12	12
	Abbalgeri ..	3	3	..	..	..	..	3	3
	Holalur ...	8	8	..	..	..	...	8	8
	Shikarpur Taluk.								
	Udagani ..	9	6	10	9	22	18	41	33
	Other places..	...	..	..	..	67	48	67	48
	Total...	33	25	17	16	425	305	475	346
	KADUR DISTRICT ..	..	..	...	..	14	10	14	10
	CHITALDRUG DISTRICT....	...	..	...	..	598	351	598	351

*Imported.

Comparative statement showing the number of Infected Places in each district during the weeks ending 28th and 21st December 1900.

Districts.	Infected places.	
	During the week ending 28th December 1900.	During the week ending 21st Dec. 1900.
Bangalore	30	23
Kolar	11	10
Tumkur	1	1
Mysore	31	28
Hassan	..	2
Shimoga	5	2
Kadur	..	..
Chitaldrug	..	..
Total ..	78	66

Statement showing the number of Houses Demolished and Compensation paid in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

Period.	Bangalore City.			Mysore City.			Remarks.
	Number of houses demolished.	Houses for which compensation was paid.		Number of houses demolished.	Houses for which compensation was paid.		
		Number.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.	
			Rs. a. p.			Rs. a.	
For the week ending 28th Dec. 1900.	..	..	..	..	..	..	
For the week ending 21st Dec. 1900.	2	..	..	..	..	..	
From the commencement up to 14th Dec. 1900.	987	634	22,454 2 2	874	874	1,03,060 4 3	
Total ..	989	634	22,454 2 2	874	874	1,03,060 4 3	

Statement showing the number of Houses Disinfected in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

Place.	During the week ending 28th Dec. 1900.	During the week ending 21st Dec. 1900.	Since commencement up to 14th Dec. 1900.	Total.	Remarks.
Bangalore City ..	155	142	16,425	16,722	
Mysore City ..	51	71	7,475	7,597	